

Amendment after Allowance  
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amino acid sequences shown in Figure 2 (SEQ ID NOS: 1 and 2) are identified. The amendment merely conforms to the PatentIn convention whereby a nucleotide sequence precedes the amino acid sequence it encodes. Thus, this amendment does not add new matter.

The specification also has been amended at page 4, line 30, to add a reference to the nucleotide sequence (SEQ ID NO:49) and amino acid sequence (SEQ ID NO:50) shown in Figure 2 following the stop codon at nucleotides 658-660. The amendment is made to conform to the PatentIn convention whereby a sequence shown with an internal stop codon is given in the Sequence Listing as two separate sequences. The amendment is supported by Figure 2 and does not add new matter.

The specification additionally has been amended at page 48, line 28, to replace "SEQ ID NO:8" with "SEQ ID NO:48." The amendment corrects an error whereby SEQ ID NO:8 was inadvertently used to identify two different sequences: the sequence shown in Table 2 (page 17) and the sequence shown at page 48, line 30. The amendment merely corrects a typographical error and does not add new matter.

Thus, each of the amendments is supported by the specification or figures as originally filed and does not add new matter.

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C. CONCLUSION

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned agent or Cathryn Campbell at the number listed below if there are any questions relating to this matter.

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